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"TELL MY FRIENDS TO BE BRAVE AND FEARLESS, AND LOYAL TO THE GREAT COMMON PEOPLE."

COME AND SEE!

YOUR Eyes will Tell a Bigger Story Than any Advertisement
of Ours.

FLOUR, MEAL, MEAT, LARD, COFFEE and SUGAR, Lower than any Store in Rockcastle.

FURNITURE of all kinds at Prices to ticele your pocket-book.

ON Dry Goods-- Our prices are so small they would tempt a miser.

DON'T Kick yourself when you find you could have bought shoes here 1-3 less.

ON Clothing:--Our prices are our inducements. We are content with small profits,

THE MOST SUCCESSFUL!
THE MOST RELIABLE!
THE MOST POPULAR
STORE IN ROCKCASTLE!

U. G. BAKER Phone No. 82
Same Goods For Less money,
More Goods For Same money.

Scarce as Hen's Teeth:
Other Merchants that sell as
Cheap as we do.

What will it Profit a Man
If He Gains the Whole World
AND DOES NOT CALL AT
KRUEGER & SONS
TO BUY HIS

Furniture?

JUST RECEIVED A CAR LOAD
OF NEWEST AND LATEST STYLES.

Good Beds

-AT-

\$2.50
On Up.

COTS
-AT-

\$1.50
On Up

SOFAS AT
\$2.25
AND
ON UP.

OBEISK FLOUR.
BEST ON EARTH, \$4.60 per bbl.
ALSO IN SACKS.
At Corresponding Low Prices.

BED ROOM SUITS
\$18.50
AND
ON UP.

EVERYTHING IN LADIES
AND GENTLEMEN'S
FURNISHING
GOODS.

THE PLACE TO DRIVE GREAT BARGAINS.--CALL AND SEE
OUR LARGE STOCK. Opposite Depot, Near Postoffice.

MT. VERNON, KY.

HIATT

A. K. McClary remains quite ill
with rheumatism.

Miss Susie Adams is visiting relatives at Hazel Patch.

A. V. Smith made a flying trip to Crab Orchard, Saturday.

Mr. Horace Woods, of Lincoln county, was here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Cash Hiatt and wife are spending a few days with relatives, at Danville.

Mrs. Julia Proctor was over from Wildie, Sunday, to see her nephew, Albert Hiatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland, of Lexington, made a flying visit to relatives here this week.

Mr. J. M. Cress, wife and little son, Joseph, have been visiting relatives here this week.

Dr. Gravely says Albert Hiatt is improving nicely and will soon be able to be out again.

The school at this place is progressing nicely, under the management of H. B. McClary.

J. M. Cress, of Preachersville, bought a nice bunch of hogs of J. Smith and sons at 6½c.

Miss May Coffey, of Medical Springs section, has been visiting her sister, Mr. K. J. Smith.

Messrs. Burdette Chesnut, Frank Moore, Amos Smith and Brent McClary attended church at Wildie, Sunday.

Lillie, the little daughter of R. Smith, who has been sick for some weeks with typhoid fever, is recuperating.

The boys of his section have been working the road this week, with R. L. Smith as overseer, who is a very competent man for the position.

A. C. Hiatt, who is doing a flourishing mercantile business at this place, has been keeping an egg record for the last four months, and in that time has bought 3,000 dozen.

FORTUNE FAVORS A TEXAN.
"Having distressing pains in head, back and stomach, and being without appetite, I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallible in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25¢ at all druggists.

CONWAY

S. B. Saylor is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. J. H. Sigman is greatly improved.

Mrs. M. H. Jordan was in Berea last Friday.

D. C. Pullins is adding an addition to his dwelling.

Jack Mobley has moved from Gap tunnel to Snider.

T. J. Hayes was at Gun Sulphur first of the week.

Ed Sexton and Lee Coffey were in Richmond Monday.

The oil business seems to be a dead issue in this section.

W. D. Kelton was in Richmond and Paris, first of the week.

S. W. Saylor and family arrived from Bell county last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jordan attended church at Wildie Sunday.

Miss Jeanie Hayes has been clerking for her father, T. J. Hayes, this week.

D. C. Pullins raised a very nice crop of tobacco, which is now ready for the barn. He says the quality is extra good.

Bring your telephone poles and cross-ties to Conway, as there is a demand that indicates that our village has put on new life.

Miss Eva, the daughter of J. H. Hayes, was out driving last Sunday when her horse ran away and threw her out injuring her very seriously.

The corn rogues around here had better look out. There is a load of "B" shot waiting for you, and old M. M. is the stuff that will throw it into you.

Mr. A. B. Ealy, of Paint Lick, who has been with D. C. Pullins of this place for some weeks for his health, is much improved and has gone home for a short stay.

A BOY'S WILD RIDE FOR LIFE
With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grippe prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50¢ and \$1.00. Trial up against no Beef Trust, I reckon.

MARETBURG.

Mr. Bert Owens and son, Albert, are sick with malaria fever.

Mrs. B. F. Suttou is in Livingston at her daughters.

Mr. Dick Martin and family visited at Mr. S. H. Martin's, Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Houk has named her boy "Leroy Martin" for its grandfather.

Geo. Owens, Emmett Cummins, of the stone gang, were at home Sunday.

Aunt Katie Owens is reported very sick. She is the mother of Geo. Owens of this place.

Mrs. Jack McCall, of Glendale, Tenn., has returned home after two weeks visit to relatives at this place.

Logan McCall and little cousins, Claude and Walter McCall, visited at his grand-mother's, Mrs. D. S. Lewis, Sunday.

A protracted meeting will commence here Saturday night Sept. 13th, conducted by Rev. Hartfield. It will be the second Saturday in Sept.

There will be a box supper at the Maretburg church, Saturday September 13th. Everyone is invited. Ladies all please bring a box, and the gentlemen the spare change.

Aunt Jane Burke, who is about 70 years old, has recovered from a severe spell of pneumonia sufficient to do house work, by the good management of Drs. Davis and Pennington.

A PARSON'S NOBLE ACT
"I want all the World to know," writes Rev. C. J. Budlong, of Ashaway, R. I., "what a thoroughly good and reliable medicine I found in Electric Bitters. They cured me of jaundice and liver troubles that had caused me great suffering for many years. For a genuine, all-around cure they excel anything I ever saw." Electric Bitters are

the surprise of all for their wonderful work in Liver, Kidney and Stomach troubles. Don't fail to try them. Only 50cts. Satisfaction is guaranteed by all druggists.

While the president is saying that we have a right to expect from the Government that it will see that the cards are not stacked, the cards are being stacked right along.

The Prodigal--The father in the Bible story, dad, killed the fatted calf for his son.

The Old Man--Yep; but he wasn't

bottles free at all druggists.

CRAB ORCHARD.

Mrs. G. P. Elam is numbered with the sick.

C. C. McClure is confined to his bed with typhoid fever.

W. E. Perkins is in Louisville buying his stock of fall goods.

Will C. Borders, of Cass, Texas, is here visiting his mother, Mrs. E. C. Borders.

Mrs. J. R. Brooks and bright little girl, Zilpha, have returned to their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. Annie Austin, of Lancaster, is the handsomest guest of Misses Lizzie and Mattie Beasley.

Miss Clara Collier and brothers have returned from visiting their aunt, Mrs. Sue Holmes, of Stanford.

S. E. Estes and wife and D. J. Smith attended the Tate's Creek Association, which met at Gilead, Madison county.

A. G. Bailey returned Sunday last from a two weeks prospecting tour in Oklahoma. Have not heard how he liked the country.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collier, who have been keeping house for Dan Holman, rented the old Charlie Redd house and moved into it a few days since.

The Crab Orchard band goes to Barboursville today to play for the fair. Expects to go from there to Middleboro. Will not return for near two weeks.

Mrs. Martha Collins, of Washington, D. C., who has been spending the summer here, will leave tomorrow for her home, but will stop over a few days with friends in Cincinnati.

There will be a reunion of the G. A. R. here on the 11th, 12th and 13th. It will be held on the fair grounds. Crab Orchard will extend a welcome hand to all who may come, the Gray as well as the Blue.

Willie Sigler, son of Mrs. M. V. Sigler and nephew of the Hon. Fontaine Fox Bobbitt, has gone to Sonora, Ga., to learn telegraphy. Willie is quite young, and we think he is to be highly commended for making an effort to prepare himself for future usefulness. There are some older boys in our village that might profit by his example.

It is a waste of time for the Alabama Republicans to invite Senator Beveridge to their State. What the Alabama Republicans need is a

Coroner, and not a doctor.

Land, Stock and Crop

W. T. Davis sold last week to the Indianapolis Abattoir Co. 36 head of cattle, average weight 1,496 pounds, at 6½c. Mr. Davis bought this herd last fall at 4½c, thus more than doubling his money. This is by far the best sale of cattle made here this year. -LaGrange New Era.

Genie Owens, near Hiserville, bought a lot of stock hogs from Oscar Freeman at 7c a pound Charley Summers, of Hiserville country, sold Clark & Nichols a lot of shelled corn at 7½c a bushel.... J. E. Goff, of Hiserville, sold 26 fat hogs to Lazarus & Co. at \$6.40 per hundred. -Glasgow Times.

An exchange says: The mule is an easy animal to raise. He don't eat much as compared to a horse. An energetic mule will make a trip quicker than a horse, though he may not go so fast. The secret of the speed is his uniform gait, steady and persistent. You hardly ever see a sick mule; he seems practically immune from the diseases which attack horses.

CYNTHIANA COURT--A fairly good crowd in attendance; 200 head of cattle on the market, of a fair to medium quality, and all sold with fully fifty cents on the hundred off from last month's sales. John T. Hedges, of Bourbon, bought 40 head of 900 to 1,000 lb. steers from \$4.47 to \$4.75; E. P. Claybrook to head of same kind, \$4.50. Yearling steers \$4 to \$4.30; light-weight heifers \$2.65 to \$3.50, according to quality; calves \$1.50 to \$30 per head; milch cows \$25 to \$35. 500 stock ewes \$2 to \$4. Stock shoats 6 to 6½c. Mule colts \$35 to \$40. Demand was fairly good at the prices. Need of rain affected the market somewhat. -Cynthiana Democrat.

J. W. Cannady, of Cane Ridge, sold to Hopkins & Boardman two 1,100 pound steers at 5 cents..... D. G. Taylor, of Elizabeth, sold to Earl Ferguson 175 ewes at \$3 per head..... Wm. Beecraft, of Millersburg, sold to George Morrow 30 head of 970 pound feeders at 5 cents..... John T. Hedges bought 21 head of 1,170 pound feeders of Will Scott, of North Middletown, at 5 cents..... S. T. Clay sold to Jonas Weil 56 1,370 pound export cattle at \$6.25. He also received 73 1,426 pound exporters of John Roseberry, recent purchase; also 40 1,435 pounders, of recent purchase of 100 head of Brice Steele, the remainder to go latter. The on these was \$6.50. -Paris Kentuckian.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

FOR CONGRESS.
HON. GEORGE G. GILBERT,
OF SHELBY.

H. H. HENNINGER,
Of Wayne county is a candidate for State
Treasurer, subject to the action of the
Democratic party.

The Republican party has been
compelled, by irresistible pressure
of public opinion, to accept the
trust issue, but every fair minded
and unprejudiced man knows that
this issue has been accepted by the
party managers, with a large mental
reservation, merely as a measure
of expediency. The masses
everywhere demand its solution. The
classes, of course, will defend
their special privileges to the last
ditch. But the problem must be
solved. The question then arises:
"Can the Republican party, whose
policies have created all of the
legislation that has created all of
the trusts, and whose political orga-
nization is controlled and domi-
nated by these tariff-fostering cor-
porations, be entrusted with the so-
lution of the problem?" The
Apostle St. John must have had
this situation in mind when he
prophesied that in the days to
come commercial conditions would
arise when "No man might buy or
sell save he that had the mark or
the name of the Beast." It needs
no prophetic vision to discover in
the trusts the symbolic "Beast" of
the Apocalypse.

A paper was circulated at Lan-
caster Monday, and obtained many
signatures, asking that a primary
be held to make the democratic
nominations in the 13th judicial
district for Circuit Judge and Com-
monwealth's Attorney. The
district committee recently ordered a
convention. It is stated that many
friends of both candidates for the
nomination for Circuit Judge regard
the primary election as a
fairer means of securing the choice
of the people.—Advocate. Correct;
eminently correct.

A primary is the only method by which all the
people can express their choice, the
farmer and others unfamiliar with
the jugglery of conventions being
put on an equal footing with the
politician. In a primary there is
no chance to thwart the will of the
people; in a primary there is no
opportunity to drown the voice of the
people. Our entries are not
afraid of a primary.—Interior Jour-
nal.

Right you are. Let the people
say who the candidates shall be.

CORNELIUS N. BLISS, who was
the custodian of the Republican
campaign fund in 1896, and who
was Secretary of the Interior in
McKinley's first administration, was forced to resign from the
board of managers of the American
Protective Tariff League because of
the "gone daftness" of that organization
on the tariff question. Mr. Bliss is a high tariff advocate himself, but the views of the league
have become so notoriously extreme that Mr. Bliss withdrew in
order to make his protest as forcible as it is possible to make it.

Wooten says: "A diplomat is a
good man sent abroad to lie for the
benefit of his country." The
trusts say: "A good man is a
phrase maker and smooth politician
who goes among the people to lie
for the benefit of the trusts." Ah
there! General Grosvenor.

Gov. Taft says in his report that
the Filipinos are loyal to the
United States. Yes, as long as the
American boys stand with a rifle
over them.

POLITICS and POLITICIANS

The failure of the Maryland
negro to secure recognition at the
hands of the Republicans has
caused one independent nomination
for Congress, and another is to
follow.

Senator Platt has denied a recent
interview crediting him with the
statement that New York Repub-
licans, at their coming State con-
vention, will endorse the candidacy
of President Roosevelt in 1904.

The Democratic nominations in
Ohio will be practically unanimous
for the Tom Johnson program.
Johnson will be a candidate for
Governor next year, with a view
to running for the Presidency in
1904.

Attorney General Clifton J.
Pratt has filed a mandamus suit in
the Franklin Circuit Court seeking
to compel Auditor Coulter to draw
a warrant in his favor for \$8,404.81,
the amount representing the salary
paid Judge R. J. Breckinridge during
the period he held the office of
Attorney General. The case will
probably be heard at the Septem-
ber term of the court.

The Democratic Congressional
Campaign Book, issued Tuesday,
contains 384 pages, over half of
which are devoted to the discussion
of imperialism and the trusts. A
criticism of the Republican Cam-
paign Book is contained in the
volume, and statistics are given to
show that tariff-protected manu-
facturers sell their wares in foreign
markets at reduced prices.

TRAPS.

(BY JET.)
The leanest pig squeals the most.

The sun's flames spring at times
to a distance of 350,000 miles from
its surface.

There are now 900 newspapers
in Japan. Thirty years ago there
was only one.

Hon. William Jennings Bryan
will lecture at the Palisades Camp
Grounds, High Bridge, on Sunday,
Sept. 14.

Comrade Hanna has talked him-
self into a place where he must
either take out a working card or
lose caste in the ranks of labor.

A remarkable fight took place in
the Zoological Gardens, Perth,
Western Australia, between a tiger
and a lioness. The tiger won after
a fight which lasted twenty minutes.

The Hon. Galusha A. Grow, of
Pennsylvania, is the oldest member
of the Federal House of Repre-
sentatives, having entered it in
1861. He is 78 years of age.
Since 1871 he has been a member
of a Masonic lodge in Philadelphia.

(Printers' Ink.)

Three things are necessary in
an advertisement in order to make
it "pull." The first essential is
that it shall contain some line, or
lines, that shall arrest the attention.
Secondly, it must have matter
in it that will hold the attention
until all of the facts have been
read and digested. Thirdly, it
must give assurance of something
that will be to the advantage of
him who reads. These three facts
should be kept constantly in mind
by the writers of advertisements.

"A man to be a good citizen must
first be a good bread winner, a
good husband, a good father—I
hope the father of many healthy
children—just as a woman's first
duty is to be a good house wife and
mother.

"The business duties, the home
duties, the duties to one's family
come first. The couple who bring
plenty of healthy children, who
leave behind them many sons and
daughters fitted in their turn to be
good citizens—such a couple emphatically
deserve well of the
State.

"But duty to one's self and to
one's family does not exclude duty
to one's neighbor. Each of us,
rich or poor, can help his neighbor
at times; and to do this he must be
brought into touch with him; into
sympathy with him.

"Every one of us slips on some
occasional, and shame to his fellow
who then refuses to stretch out the
hand that should always be ready
to help the man who stumbles. It
is our duty to lift him up; but it is
also our duty to remember that
there is no earthly use in trying to
carry him. If a man will submit
to being carried, that is sufficient
to show that he is not worth carrying.
In the long run, the only
kind of help that really avails is
the help which teaches a man to
help himself. Such help every
man who has been blessed in life
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schedule time.

Usually begins with the symptoms
of a common cold; there is
chilliness, sneezing, sore throat,
hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness
and impeded respiration. Give
frequent small doses of Ballard's
Horehound Syrup, (the child will
cry for it) and as the first sign of a
croupy cough, apply frequently
Ballard's Snow Liniment externally
to the throat. See all drugs.

LEVEL GREEN

Death has been with us again,
claiming as a victim this time our
aged neighbor, Vincent Poynter.
"Uncle Vince" as he was usually
and familiarly called, was in
his 77th year, and though a poor
man he did more for his community
by both precept and example
than many others under more favorable
circumstances. As old Bro.
Owens remarked in his funeral
discourse; "Uncle Vince never did
anything for show or to create a
noise but was honest in his deals
upright in his walks and Godly in his conversation, an affectionate husband, a kind father,
a charitable neighbor, fearing God
and keeping His commandments—
yes, to come to the conclusion of
the whole, a Christian.

He had been a member of the
Christian Church for about 40
years, always doing his duty the
best he could. He was a democrat
all his life and ever at his post.
He raised three families of children—
12, I think in all, three of
whom were step children, having
been married twice. His last and
surviving wife is a sister to Elder
Martin Owens. Another good man
gone.

We have no neighborhood gossip
to report. Everything and
everybody seem to be moving on
quietly and in the right way. Road
working and millet harvesting are
the principal occupations now.
Many overseers are putting in
more time than the allotted six
days, and then leave off the work
too soon.

Fodder saving is at the door
with about three-fourths of a crop
of corn.

The hog craze is over, and farmers
have gone to feeding the few
left on hand.

Joe Brown has returned from
Hoosier to his father's house. No
place like home. Will Loge Cummins,
who migrated about two
weeks ago, has returned to his native
heath. He, too, can testify that
"Ole Cain Tuck" is not by
any means the last, least or worse
place on earth.

Betsy is cooking beans for dinner
today, grown from seed raised this
season. I have eaten a barrel
(5 bu.) of tomatoes, 1,000 roasting
ears and drank buttermilk
enough to make a good size lake
this summer, gained 10 lbs of flesh
and both appetite and fat are still
on an upward move. James Crawford
is to blame for all of this. I
used a few doses of his wonderful
Elixir of Life on Paul Griffin,
whose health and beauty dis-
appeared six months ago, and Paul is
now young and pretty again.

Another new store is going into
operation at Van Hook. Dr.
Isaacs and Peyton Randolph pro-
prietors.

There are 6 country stores now
in operation within a radius of 2
miles from Plato, and all seem to
be doing good business. How the
people can support so many stores
and run other necessary expenses
is a problem I can't solve.

Many of our people are attending
Somerset fair.

Mrs. Rachel Todd, who has been
on the sick list for some time, is
slowly improving.

J. M. Hurst remains about the
same.

The Baptists are protracting at
Poplar Grove.

The Methodists, with two female
teachers, will sail at the chapel in
a few days. BUCK VARNON.

NOT DOOMED FOR LIFE.

"I was treated for three years by
goop doctors," writes W. A. Greer,
of McConnellsville, O., "for Piles
and Fistula, but, when all failed,
Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured me
in two weeks." Cures Burns,
Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Eruptions,
Salt Rheum, Piles or no pay.
25¢ at all druggists.

The board of trustees of the M.
E. Church South have named
Rev. A. F. Watkins, of Mississippi,
as agent to raise the \$5,000,000
for superannuated preachers and
their families.

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Young Plants

Every farmer knows that
some plants grow better than
others. Soil may be the same
and seed may seem the same
but some plants are weak and
others strong.

And that's the way with
children. They are like young
plants. Same food, same home,
same care but some grow big
and strong while others stay
small and weak.

Scott's Emulsion offers an
easy way out of the difficulty.
Child weakness often means
starvation, not because of lack
of food, but because the food
is not fed.

Scott's Emulsion really feeds
and gives the child growing
strength.

Whatever the cause of weak-
ness and failure to grow—
Scott's Emulsion seems to find
it and set the matter right.

Enter this church, one sees
upon its walls mottoes like these:

"Ye shall know the truth, and
the truth shall make you free."

"Our country is the world; our
countrymen are mankind."

"Life without labor is guilt; la-
bor without art is brutality."

"Far, far beyond our ken, the
eternal laws must hold their sway."

"Those who deny freedom to
others do not deserve it for them-
selves."

"He is true to God who is true
to man."

"We cannot be saved separately;
we must be saved altogether."

"They should be first among all
who contribute most by their labor
to the good of all."

The question arises: Have we
in this Cincinnati church the type
of what all churches are to be,
possibly before the Twentieth
century shall have passed away?

The trend of things is certainly
that way. The ENTHUSIASM
FOR HUMANITY is growing
every day; every day there is less
and less respect for the worn-out
creeds and senseless ceremonies;
and it begins to look as though we
might by and by have a religion
like the one that was preached and
lived by Jesus of Nazareth.—En-
quiry.

All AB spokes must be made
from good HEAVY SECOND GROWTH
timber, and all spokes must be
made from good, live hickory, free
from knots, bird-pecks, wind
shakes and all other defects. We
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TIME TABLE.

84 north..... 10:55 a.m.
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Phone No. 58.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky., Post Office as second-class mail matter.

PERSONALS

Twin boys at Jack Abacy's.

J. C. Rinehart was here Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Poynter has been quite ill.

Miss Ellen Butler is visiting at residence.

Dr. James Pennington is in from Jackson county.

Steve Owens, of Livingston, was here yesterday.

Mrs. Julia Asbill is visiting relatives and friends here.

T. A. Stewart is at home from Danville for a few days.

Aunt Pop Decker, of Skaggs Creek, is now of perfect health.

U. G. Baker went to Louisville Monday to buy new goods.

Cox Brothers are moving into their splendid new storeroom.

Miss Janie Weber, of Knoxville, the guest of the Misses Thompson.

William Arnold, who has been sick so long, is improving very nicely.

W. A. Scott Wats Brown took in the London fair and two bushels of gold.

Miss Clyde Cass is spending the week here having some dental work done.

K. N. Reynolds, of Memphis, was here Monday to see his son, Mrs. Bates.

Mrs. Henry Catron has been visiting her father, Mr. Alva Catron, of near Wildie.

Eugene Mullins has returned from Liberty, where he has been teaching a brass band.

Willie Krueger was in Lancaster and Danville Tuesday in the interest of his home business.

J. A. Wood returned from Louisville yesterday morning, where he had been to buy goods.

S. W. Fawcett has gone to Cincinnati. His family will join him there tomorrow night.

George Parker, of Williamsburg, was here Sunday to see one of our most charming young ladies.

J. A. and Joshua Parrott were here from Moore's Creek, Jackson County, visiting the family of Neal Parrott.

R. A. Whitehead was up from Lexington Saturday. Bert is doing a fine business in that thriving little town.

Misses Rica Parker, Marguerite McClary and Rose Williams will leave Sunday for Hamilton College, Lexington.

Dr. Myers is making some excellent photo views of buildings and landscapes, as well as other kinds of photographs.

Mr. C. F. Ratcliffe, of the Mountain Democrat, kindly came to our rescue Wednesday morning to help us through this week's rush.

U. G. Baker and Burdette Whitehead went to Louisville Tuesday to lay in goods for their big stores at this place and Livingston.

Willie Martin, who has been visiting home folks for the past two weeks, will return to Lynchburg, Va., tomorrow. Willie is clerk in his brother-in-law's store, and a good one he is. Honesty, industry and courtesy, all of which he possesses, characterizes him as a model young man.

Mrs. M. C. Miller and sons, Scott and Ray, returned yesterday from a visit to relatives at Versailles.

Alex Pennington, one of our printers, has been on the sick list for some weeks. He stayed at the case as long as he could before giving up.

C. C. Williams and D. S. Putnam went to Shelby county Monday to investigate the killing of the latter's brother in a railroad wreck last week.

H. V. Bastin, the electrician for the Bastin Co., Lancaster, will enter Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind., to finish up his course in electrical engineering.

Judge Chenault was at Brush Creek from Richmond a few days since. He is well pleased with the way his interests and those of his associates are moving along.

Mrs. Mary Conn left Sunday night for Oklahoma to visit her son, B. H. Conn. She was accompanied as far as Louisville by her daughter, Mrs. John W. Brown.

LOCALS

School Superintendent Ballard visited schools during the week.

Ed. Davis and Miss Eliza Jones were married in the court house yesterday.

Rev. Will Owens, colored, son of Harvey Owens, is in from Louisville to see relatives.

WANTED.—Old iron, 25¢ per hundred for it, delivered at HOWK & ADAMS, big brick on Main street, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Those who have not settled their taxes are requested to call at my office during court and attend to same. H. L. TATE, S. R. C.

W. A. Cox and Neal Parrott went to Lexington Wednesday to do some carpenter work for Howk & Adams.

Henderson Jones, the jeweler, has moved his outfit to town, and is occupying one of the windows in D. C. Poynter's store.

Protracted meeting began at the Christian church Sunday under the auspices of Rev. Hartzfield. There were thirteen baptized Wednesday afternoon.

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Beasley & Co., Stanford, carry, in addition to a first-class line of furniture, coffins, caskets and robes, which can always be furnished on short notice. aug. 29-31.

The Southern Military Band, of Crab Orchard, passed through Tuesday afternoon en route to Barbourville to furnish music for the Knox County fair, which closes today.

Mrs. J. H. Pearl, of London, received a telegram Tuesday stating that Britt Pigg was dying at Washington, Ind. No further particulars.

The Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church South is in session at London this week. Bishop Morrison presiding. About 150 delegates are in attendance.

H. V. Bastin began stringing an aisle wire to Brodhead from Mt. Vernon Monday. Telephone subscribers will soon have the benefit of use of line to that place without extra charge.

The college opened Monday with a fairly good attendance and the assurance of several more, who will enter Monday. The school is in every way in better condition than ever before, and every indication points to a most successful year's work. The encouragement which is due the school from every citizen of Rockcastle county, is all that is necessary to make it what we would all have it be. The principal, Prof. Evers, has secured the very best teachers possible, and every parent who sends his child to this institution of learning knows that the instruction given is only of the very best.

The free scholarships to the Mt. Vernon Collegiate Institute, which are given each year under the terms of purchase of the building, were awarded to the following, who made the best grades in the examinations held Saturday for that purpose: Mt. Vernon precinct, Miss Fannie McClellan; Brodhead, Miss Lida Hilton; Level Green, Eddie Gentry; Livingston, Miss Kitty Poynter; Crooked Creek, Miss Laura Baker. From the county at large, Victor Tate, Sealfield, Cane, Roundstone and Walnut Grove precincts were not represented.

The Rockcastle Baptist Association will meet with the Line Creek church Tuesday, Sept. 9.

One week from Monday is Circuit Court. The editor would be glad to see everyone on that day, who has business with this paper.

Mrs. William Coffee has taken charge of the poor house to fill out the unexpired time of Mrs. S. W. Fawcett, who has gone to Cincinnati.

Two houses and lots for sale or to trade to property in the country. Also strawberry and raspberry plants for sale. Also a few thoroughbred chickens, of six varieties, for sale. S. N. DAVIS, Sept. 5-31 Mt. Vernon, Ky.

FARM FOR SALE.—I have for sale a farm of 127 acres, lying on the waters of Brush Creek, two miles north of Level Green. Good house and outbuildings. Orchard and well watered. Terms easy. For further information call on Henry Catron, Level Green, Ky., if

The officers, Messrs. J. T. Williams, R. M. Jackson and E. A. Chilton, of the Laurel County Fair Association, said they proposed to make this year's exhibition excel all previous years, and sure enough they did. The attendance for the three days was near 11,000, while the best attendance of any former time was about 6,000. Good premiums and judicious advertising is what counts.

ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.—The State Board Saturday appointed John W. Brown and G. S. Griffin County Election Commissioners for Rockcastle. The county commissioners, which are made up of a representative each of the Democratic and Republican parties, with the county sheriff as chairman and umpire, are to meet and organize during the month of September and select precinct election officers to serve at the coming November election.

We overlooked, in our last issue, the death of Daniel B. Ballinger, of Climax, who was killed by falling from a railroad bridge near Burnside, Ky. For two years he had been with the bridge carpenters. His faithfulness at all times won for him the confidence and respect of his superiors. The remains were brought back to his old home for burial and laid to rest in the Maret graveyard by the I. O. O. F., of which he was a member in high standing.

CONVENTION.—The Republicans met in the court house last Saturday and selected the following delegates to the convention which met at Nicholasville Wednesday to nominate a Republican candidate for Congress in this district: Isaac Dooley, B. J. and L. W. Bethurum, Judge S. D. Lewis, J. T. Adams, W. R. Dillon, Capt. E. N. Roller, W. G. Nicely, Henry and J. J. Wood, Bogie Phillips and P. W. Clark. The Hon. William Lawson Simrall, of Mercer county, received the nomination.

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Write to Prof. W. R. Smith, for 25 years President of the famous Commercial College of Kentucky University, for particulars of unequalled inducements for young men to pursue its BUSINESS, SHORT-HAND, TYPE-WRITING or TELEGRAPHIC Courses. This College is responsible and is influential in securing situations for its students. See advertisement. Address only W. R. SMITH, Lexington, Ky.

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LIVINGSTON

Ernest Weaver, of Middlesboro, was here Tuesday.

John Baker, Jr., is attending school at Mt. Vernon.

Walter Gilford and family moved this week to Pritchard.

Mrs. Wilmoth Poynter is visiting friends at Oswego, Tenn.

Miss Virgie Morris is visiting her parents, near London.

Mrs. Williamson, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. Will Stark.

J. F. Cooper and Matt Ford have gone to Jellico to work.

Geo. Reynolds was at Mt. Vernon Sunday between trains.

Charles Cooper returned home from Crab Orchard Wednesday.

Ernest Vanarsdale, of Junction City, is at the Riverside mansion.

Nell Parritt and Will Cox, of Mt. Vernon, were in town Wednesday.

Berry Sams, of Danville, Ill., is here to purchase a car load of horses.

Mrs. Minnie Chestnut, of Orlando, visited Mrs. W. J. Childress this week.

James Houk, of Mt. Vernon, was with his many friends here last week.

W. C. Mullins and Shannon McKinney are visiting the Barbourville Fair.

Miss Stella Mullins, of Covington, Ky., is visiting Miss Maggie Sambrook.

Dr. E. J. Brown, of Stanford, was here Tuesday to see Mrs. W. H. Carnical.

Mrs. Mattie Delph and little Frank have returned to their home in Louisville.

Miss Hattie Parsley and Katie Lee Elmore returned home from London Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Singleton will visit her sister at Somerset the latter part of the week.

Mrs. John Magee entertained a few of her friends with an elegant dinner Tuesday.

Miss Mary Belle McCarty returned to her home at Lebanon Junction last week.

Mrs. George Reynolds and Cecil have returned from a visit with relatives at Brush Creek.

Mrs. James Bunn, of Lebanon Junction, is visiting Miss Clara Griffin and other friends.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. C. Carr, of Middlesboro, were the guests of Mrs. W. R

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COURT CALENDAR.

COUNTY COURT.—Fourth Monday in each month.

QUARTERLY COURT.—First Monday in January, April, July and October.

CIRCUIT COURT.—Second Monday in February, Fourth Monday in May and Third Monday in September.

MT. VERNON POLICE COURT; Third Monday in each month.

CHURCHES.

Services at the Christian Church—Preaching 1st & 3rd Sunday's at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School—9:30 a. m. every Sunday.
Prayer Meeting—Every Thursday 7:30 p. m.
The public are cordially invited to attend all services. DAVID HARTSFIELD, Pastor.

Presbyterian—Holds services on the 4th Sunday, morning and evening.

Methodist will hold services at the presbyterian church on the 2nd Sunday morning and evening in each month.

Baptist Church—Services on the Third Saturday night and Sunday. Sunday School at 9 a. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights.

MASONIC

Ashland Lodge No. 640 meets 4th Monday, 10 A. M.
MT. VERNON R. A. CHAPTER, NO. 140.—MEETS every FOURTH MONDAY at 2 p. m.

MACCABEES.

K. O. T. M. TENT, No. 21, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday at 7:30 p. m.
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QUAIL

M. G. Dowell is in Lexington.

Dan Brown was in Mt. Vernon

Friday.

Mack Brown is quite sick with

with fever.

John Preston, of Livingston, was

here this week.

Perry Hays and son have been

visiting in Garrard.

Mr. Sutton, of Preachersville, was

here buying hogs.

Wm. Hysinger, of Hiatt, was in

this section hunting cattle.

Lee Robins, of Negro Creek, was

in this vicinity Sunday.

John T. Hurst and D. R. Gentry were in Mt. Vernon Saturday.

DIED—The child of Rice Gooch

died after being very low for a long

time.

W. H. Brown and Jas. Thompson, of Preachersville, were in this section hunting hogs.

Ida Poynter and Squire Thompson went to Livingston Saturday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Willie Procter, and child-
ren, of Lexington, are here visiting
relatives and friends.

Miss Lillie McBee and brothers,

Hugh and Willie, visited relatives

in Pulaski Saturday and Sunday.

DEAD—At 7 o'clock Monday

morning Vincent Poynter breathed his last. He had been sick for some time, and at last the death angel knocked at the door and his soul took its flight. The remains

were laid to rest Tuesday evening

Providence cemetery.

21 YEARS A DYSPEPTIC.

R. H. Foster, 318 S. 2nd St., Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years; tried many doctors without relief; recently I got a bottle of Hierbine. One bottle cured me, I am now tapering off on the second. I have recommended it to my friends, it is curing them, too." 25c. 50c. and \$1.00 at all druggists.

"What do you think we had better do about this trust business?" asked the apprehensive citizen.

"I don't know," answered Senator Sargent. "Something ought to be done pretty soon or they'll get

so powerful and independent that

they won't think it worth while to

pay for influence."

Teacher—How many mills make a cent?

Charlie Chigwidden—None, my

father says—unless they are in the

trust.

PINE HILL

O. J. Towrey has opened a new

store here.

Miss Faunie Simpson has been

very ill for several days.

Mrs. Frank Lay and children are

visitors in Livingston.

W. M. Roberts sold to Mr. Bal-

lard, of Lincoln, a bunch of hogs

at 6 cts. Mr. Roberts also has a

nice bunch of dogs, 27 in number,

for which he has never received

any offer.

Mrs. Dr. Thomas is visiting at

Livingston.

Dr. Thomas and Will Griffin

have begun saving fodder.

The corn yield in this section is ex-

ceptionally good.

Dr. Thomas has a small patch of

tomatoes from which he has al-

ready sold \$7.60 worth of that

splendid fruit.

Mrs. Metteser has the mammoth

pumpkin in her garden. It meas-

ures 40 inches in diameter.

RAISED FROM THE DEAD.

C. W. Lanis, "Porter" for the
Oriental Hotel, Chanute, Kan., says:

"I know what it was to suffer with neuralgia, and I did, and I got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment and I was raised from the dead."

I tried to get some more, but before I had 'de-

posed' of my bottle, I was cured

entirely. I am tellin' ne truth too."

25c. 50c. and \$1.00 at all

druggists.

Oh, no! The infant industries

would not show their teeth except

as a last resort.

"For that would be confessing

that we have teethered," they proudly argued.

DEVOURED BY WORMS.

Children often cry, not from pain,

but from hunger, although fed

abundantly. The entire trouble

arises from inattention, their food

is not assimilated, but devoured by worms.

A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them

to cease crying and begin to thrive